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CHURCH NOTICES.

EPISCOPAL SERVICES—Episcopal services will be held in the San Luis school house the first Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock a. m. W. L. Clark, Rector.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. Chas. C. Kirtland, Pastor. Services: Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Service at 6:30 p. m., on first Sunday on or before the full of the moon. Prayer meeting Wednesdays at 2:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor meeting Fridays at 3:15 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society and Missionary Society meet the second Tuesday of each month.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. H. C. Tallman, Pastor. Preaching every Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. on Sunday.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Commencing Sunday, October 11th, 1903, mass will be celebrated in St. Francis' church at 8 a. m. and 11:30 a. m. On the fourth Sunday of each month mass will be said in Mervyn hall, Glen Ellen, at 9 a. m.; on the same day in St. Francis, church at 11 a. m. until further notice.

LODGE NOTICES

F & A M

TEMPLE LODGE NO. 14 meets in the Masonic Hall on the Tuesday evening on or preceeding the full moon of each month.

I O O F

SONOMA LODGE, NO. 28 meets at Odd Fellows' Hall every Saturday evening at 7:30 p. m

REBEKAH DEGREE LODGE, NO. 99 meets in Odd Fellows hall on the second and fourth Thursday evenings of each month.

A O F

Court of Sonoma, No. 8922, meets the 1st and 3rd Thursday of each month at 8 o'clock p.m.

N S G W

SONOMA PARLOR NO. 111 meets on the first Monday Evening of each month at Odd Fellows' hall.

U A O D

SONOMA GROVE NO. 75 meets on the first and third Friday in each month at Odd Fellows hall.

O E S

VALLEY OF THE MOON CHAPTER, NO. 85, meets in the Masonic hall on the Thursday evening on or preceeding the full moon of each month.

Y M I

NO 45 meets the first Wednesday evenings in each month in Odd Fellows' hall

A O U W

PUEBLO LODGE NO. 168 meets every 1st and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month at Odd Fellows hall.

P. of H.

El Verano Grange, No. 315, meets on the second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at Odd Fellows hall, Sonoma.

W. O. W.

Bear Flag Camp, No. 758, meets in I. O. O. F. hall the third Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

GLEN ELLEN COLUMN

SOCIETY NOTICES.

W. W. Ellenwood Camp, No. 487, meets the first and third Saturday evenings of each month in Native Sons' Hall.

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HAPPENINGS OF THE PAST WEEK

Current Events Related in Dispatches From Many Correspondents In Various Parts of the West.

G. Moses Cobb, a leading lawyer of San Francisco, died at Lane Hospital of typhoid fever.

James Callaghan, a cattle-raiser near Livermore, is dead at the age of eighty-three years.

James S. Hite, an electrician, was killed at Portland, Or., by coming in contact with a live wire.

Antone Rebotaro was found dead in one of the large wine tanks in the rear of the Euorpa Hotel, Calistoga.

A franchise has been granted to L. H. Boggs of Lakeport for an electric line to connect that place with Cloverdale.

The big cofferdam at the new dock at Mare Island broke and the entire structure was swept away, causing a loss of $20,000.

Governor Pardee has made a requisition on the War Department for a large quantity of equipment for the National Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Milton, who are spending their honeymoon in Eureka, have been arrested for grand larceny on complaint of the bride's father.

J. J. Pimental, charged with insanity by the brother of Miss Minnie Fernandez of Martinez, whom he had been seeking to marry for several months, has been declared sane.

Los Angeles Supervisors have repealed sixty-one old ordinances and declared null and void fourteen wharf franchises, three ferry franchises, a special advertising privilege and the chute at Newport harbor.

At the meeting of the Oakland Library Trustees it was decided to allow children under 12 years of age to take out books, providing they are able to sign their own names and the card is countersigned by their parents.

Angus McPhail, a saloon-keeper of Everett, Wash., who murdered a business rival last May, has been convicted of murder in the first degree, the jury recommending hanging as the penalty for the crime. McPhail will appeal.

M. L. Le Fetra was struck by an electric car at Long Beach and fatally injured. He died two hours later. Le Fetra was prominently identified with the early history of Long Beach and had large property interests at Glendora.

The largest transaction in beach property which has taken place in San Diego for many months was consummated last week. The O. J. Stough holdings at Pacific Beach were purchased by Folsom Brothers of San Diego, the consideration being $100,000.

A telephone message from Kernville received at Bakersfield says that James Walker, a well-known resident of the mountain country, shot and killed a Mexican near Isabella the other day. He says the latter attempted to rob him. Walker has not been arrested.

Governor Pardee has issued a proclamation setting apart Thursday, November 26th, as Thanksgiving day, when all public and all but the most absolutely necessary private business shall be laid aside in order that the people may properly offer their thanks to God for past favors.

Captain Rynning of the Arizona Rangers, wired Governor Brodie that Ranger John J. Brook shot and instantly killed a negro at Naco, on the border line. Brook was exonerated by a Coroner's jury. The negro insulted a white woman, and Brook attempted to arrest him, when the negro fired at the officer, missing him.

Dr. Max Uhle of Berkeley, the noted lecturer and Peruvian archeologist, will shortly sail for Peru to continue his researches there. He will be accompanied by his wife. The expenses of the trip will be defrayed by Mrs. Phebe Hearst, who has made it possible for the university to conduct expensive investigations in Egypt and elsewhere.

At Butte, Mont., James Holland was murdered and John Sullivan was mortally wounded by an Italian named Dominick Reolandeo. After the tragedy the Italian made his escape and has not yet been found. The affray occurred on Lexington Hill, the Italian using a pocket knife as his weapon. The trouble was caused by Reolandeo being given an English sovereign in exchange for a $5 gold piece at a company store. Lynching will result if the man is caught.

While running at the rate of forty miles an hour, a Los Angeles-Pasadena electric line car left the rails at a sharp curve. The car, which was one of the heavy broad gauge type, bounded along for 100 feet, smashing a telegraph pole to splinters, snapped off a fire plug and landed on the lawn of a private residence. The conductor and motorman were seriously injured.

D. S. Crydenwise of San Jose was drowned at Seabright, near Santa Cruz, where he had a cottage. While in the water gathering drift wood he slipped and fell, a log falling on him. He had been under water three minutes when his wife went to help him ashore, but was unable to do so until a young man who saw the accident came to her assistance. When brought ashore Crydenwise was dead. He was 70 years of age and a long resident of San Jose, where he was well known.

Citrus fruit shipments in the year 1902-1903 exceeded all past records for Southern California. Final figures for the citrus fruit season ending October 31st show that during the year the total shipment of oranges and lemons were 22,245 cars, representing a gross shipment of 7,980,350 boxes. Of the total number of carloads sent out 19,675 were oranges and 2750 lemons. The gross value of the lemons and oranges produced in Southern California in the year 1902-03 is placed at $10,374,455.

Melory Justice of Anderson Valley, near Santa Rosa, fell and broke his right arm and severely bruised his face and shoulder while endeavoring to escape from a colony of bees which had attacked him. The man's face was badly cut and lacerated, and, although Justice says he was not rendered unconscious by the fall he sustained, he has no recollection of where he fell or what tripped him and caused the fall. He was in the hills near his home in the valley when the swarm of bees began their attack, and he was heading for home at a Lou Dillon clip when the accident occurred.

BRADSTREET'S WEEKLY TRADE REVIEW

Trade and Industry Quieter in North—Food Products Are Easing Off.

New York.—Bradstreet's says: Trade and industry are quieter on the whole. Unseasonable weather affects retail trade at many centers, and conservatism in providing for the future requirements restricts jobbing trade. Relatively most activity is found in the South, where the growth of the cotton movement at the high prices ruling stimulates business at many centers. In industrial lines reports of curtailed production are evidences of new demand not pressing as sharply as heretofore. Food products are easing off, and finished iron and steel are leading the downward movement of manufactured goods, but signs of awakening foreign and domestic demand lead to the hope that the automatic check to demand long exercised will be removed.

Iron and steel cars are active and Western jobbers make $3 per ton by filling orders from store rather than from mill. Lumber is steady as a whole.

Wheat, including flour, exports for the week ending November 5, aggregate 4,340,281 bushels, against 4,094,873 bushels last week and 5,715,555 bushels this week last year.

Business failures in the United States for the week ended with November 5 number 216, against 217 last week and 148 in the corresponding week last year.

In Canada, failures for the week number 19, as against 25 last week and 24 in this week last year.

MAKES MILLIONS BY RAISING THE PRICE

Rockefeller's Enormous Wealth Greatly Increased by Adding 2 Cents to Oil.

Chicago.—With a boost of a half cent a gallon in the price of kerosene oil last week, which makes an advance of 2 cents a gallon in less than a month, Chicago statisticians have done some figuring, the figures being based on an annual output of 1,500,000,000 gallons, with this result:

The latest squeeze means $7,500,000 added annual profits for the trust.

This month's squeeze means $30,000,000 added annual profits.

John D. Rockefeller is said to get 65 per cent of the total profits, and 2 cents advance will add $19,500,000 to his bank roll by the end of the year.

The consumer will pay 16 cents a gallon for kerosene at retail, with a prospect of having this increased when Rockefeller gives the word. Rockefeller says that the natural supply of Pennsylvania oil is being exhausted.

WARRANT IS OUT FOR AN APOSTLE

Mormon Church Leader Is in Hiding to Escape Arm of the Law.

POLYGAMY CHARGE IS PREFERRED.

Foes of Senator Smoot Back of Movement That Will Result in Wholesale Prosecutions.

Salt Lake.—A warrant was sworn out Tuesday night for Apostle Heber J. Grant of the Mormon church, charging unlawful cohabitation with two wives. At a late hour a deputy sheriff was hunting for the apostle, who apparently had heard of the proposed prosecution and taken to hiding.

The case is the first of a number likely to be brought to prove that polygamy still exists in Utah and to affect the seating of Senator Reed Smoot, a fellow apostle of Heber J. Grant. The warrant was sworn out by Charles Mostyn Owen, who was active in the prosecutions at the time of the Brigham H. Roberts case. He has been in the employ of the persons conducting the anti-polygamy crusade.

The allegation is that Grant has been living with two wives, Augusta Winters Grant and Emily Wells Grant, the latter a sister of Governor Heber M. Wells. The warrant charges that the offense was committed on October 6th of this year and thereafter.

Grant was married in November, 1871, to Lucy Stringham, who died in 1890. He married Augusta Winters on May 6, 1884, wedding her legally after his first wife died. In 1887 he married Emily Wells in Manasseh, Colo. A child was born to her in 1899 and in that same year Apostle Grant was elected of unlawful cohabitation. For two years he has been a missionary in Japan. A few days ago, after his return to Utah, he addressed a body of students and boasted of the fact that he had two wives and would take another if he dared.

Billy Relished Church Literature.

Shamokin, Pa.—During the absence of Rev. James Doherty, pastor of the Methodist church at Excelsior, a goat entered the parsonage by jumping through a big glass in the preacher's private room. Seeing a lot of manuscripts of sermons and Sunday-school commentatories "Billy" ate them. Then the pastor returned and put the goat to flight with a broom stick.

FATALLY BEATEN WITH A STONE.

Young Woman of Half World Murdered by an Unknown Person.

Reno, Nev.—With her head battered to a jelly, Margaret Mirot, a young French resident of the half-world here, was found at an early hour one morning unconscious and died at noon without naming her assailant. Residents of the district heard her quarreling with some unknown person, but thought nothing of it. When her room was visted in the morning by another woman her body was found on the bed where she had undoubtedly crawled after the murderous assault. The weapon used was a five-pound stone tied up in a handkerchief, with which she was struck again and again. The fact that she crawled to the washstand and tied a towel about her head, instead of giving any alarm, gives color to the theory that the crime was committed by some one whom she wished, in spite of all, to shield.

Serious Scaffold Accident.

St. Louis.—By the collapse of a scaffolding in the Terminal Railway Association's subway, in course of construction near the Union station, twenty-five laborers fell twenty-five feet to the ground, three of them being fatally hurt. The others suffered sprains, scalp wounds and broken limbs.

Immigration to Canada.

Ottawa, Ont.—A report given out by the Interior Department shows that during the ten months of the calendar year ending October 30th, 121,115 immigrants had arrived in Canada. Of these 39,046 were from the United States, 47,074 from the British isles and 34,528 from the continent of Europe.

Ends Her Life With Poison.

San Jose.—A middle-aged woman, known as May Jones, but whose true name is said to be Miss L. M. Shimmer, committed suicide in a lodging-house here by taking carbolic acid. She is said to have relatives in San Francisco. No cause is known for her act.

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VANITY! VANITY!!

"Vanity! vanity, all is vanity, sayeth the scriptures," has won another proof in the marriage of Miss May Goelet one of the richest heiresses in America, and Henry John Innes-Ker, eighth Duke of Roxburghe, in New York, last Tuesday.

The disgusting practice of some American millionaire in purchasing titles with things attached, makes us the laughing stock of all Europe. It is very profitable however to broken-down noble(?)men, whose only recommendation is a big batch of bad bills and an inherited title that would give most people of ordinary common sense a warning of something good to shun.

BRIGHT RAYS OF LIGHT--ALSO HOPE.

President Roosevelt said that the man who never does anything is not liable to make any mistake.

In fact, such a man does not make anything else either.

The people of Sonoma are thankful that C. T. Ryland is not one of that kind of men, but on the contrary, is blessed with energy, faith and courage that make for progress and success. Monday morning Contractor Small started to build the transformer house on 1st street west. The transformer,poles and wires have arrived and will be placed in readiness as soon as possible.

This new enterprise will be one of the greatest boons to Sonoma valley that has ever been undertaken and it goes without saying that it will receive the unstinted patronage of the people.

The historic old town is destined to take her proper place among the other progressive interior cities of the state.

It is Mr. Ryland's intention to extend his line as far as Kenwood, and also to put in a telephone system to cover the entire valley from Embarcadero to Kenwood. This however will come next summer after the new electric light spstem is in perfect working order.

All success to you Mr. Ryland and we hasten to assure you of our hearty support of any enterprise that will make for the advancement of our productive valley

CALIFORNIA PROMOTION COMMITTEE

This committee of leading citizens with headquarters in San Francisco is doing a great work for California in advertising its resources.

In a publication to appear in the near future, our state will be finely described and in it will be a special article about Sonoma Valley, one of the most desirable sections of this great state.

El Verano Locals

Mr. and Mr. Ernest Hoen of Sacramento and Mr. and Mrs. James Oliver of San Quentin spent Sunday on the Lewis ranch west of town.

L. L. Lewis returned from a business trip Monday night.

F. A. Riser left Monday for San Francisco and Capay valley.

Miss Edith Harvey is spending a few days with friends and relatives in and near Petaluma.

Mrs. C. F. Carmer is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Grace Raney, in San Francisco this week.

John Watriss, a well-known rancher, of Agua Caliente was transacting business here Tuesday.

T. D. Morris, the well-known politician of Caliente, was seen on our streets this week.

L. D. Batchelor, who recently purchased the John O'Brein place, came up last Friday with his wife and children. Mr. B. expects to make quite an improvement on the place, consisting of a fine dwelling house, barn, etc.

Lawrence Laurine of the Union Iron Works was visiting here Saturday and Sunday.

Harry Baines went to San Francisco Sunday. Harry is going to learn the sail maker's trade.

W. J. Hiser transacted business in Petaluma Monday.

A. D. Graham, our efficient road boss, has several teams hauling gravel on the road between the Bellvue hotel and E. Palistere's corner this week; a piece of work much needed before the rains commence.

John Baines, who some time ago was reported to have returned from the metropolis with a new set of ivories, this report was erroneous, as his San Francisco dentist (after Mr. B. had made four trips to the city) finally told him that he could not fit him. He then applied to Dr. Van Amringe, who has given him perfect satisfaction, and, at a saving in price. This speaks well for our Sanoma dentists and shows that you should patronize home dentists.

A. C; Chance went to Santa Rosa Sunday night. Mr. C. is a member of the grand jury.

J. W. Horn of Petaluma was transacting business here Tuesday.

Frank Joost of San Francisco is spending a few days at the Clement's ranch.

Echart Steiger had the misfortune while chopping wood on the Ohms' ranch, Tuesday last, to hurt one of his eyes by a flying chip.

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UNO.

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List of letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Sonoma, Cal, November 13, 1903.

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Glen Ellen Items

J. Del Montanya of Oakland, Cal. special agent of rural delivery mail routes was in town a few days the past week re-investigating the proposed route from this office.

She interior of the Toscano hotel has been remodeled the past week, making it much more convenient.

Postoffice Inspector Coyne was in town last Saturday on official business.

Rev. H, H. Wikoff occupied the pulpit at the Congregational church last Sunday.

A meeting of the trustees of the Home was held last Wednesday and much important business was transacted.

A chimney fire at the residence of F. H. Case was the cause of much excitement last Wednesday evening.

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A Bargain

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Making Improvements.

Rudolph Spreckles has expended about $100,000 in improving Sobre Vista, near Sonoma, within the last year. He has a handsome Italian landscape, with walks and roadways and a bath house second to none in the country. Forty-four acres of blue grass lawn is growing now and fifteen acres additional are being seeded. Mr. Spreckles' pay roll at Sobre Vista includes 102 men, and there are 20 men at work constructing new buildings. These are under the supervision of Contractor J. O. Kuykendall. Among the buildings being erected are a modern racing stable, 50x130 feet, a grand stand of two stories, a glass conservatory 27x70 feet and a green house 37x102 feet. An up-to-date half-mile speed track, with a polo ground on the inside, is also being constructed.

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Automobile Ordinance

The Sonoma County Board of Supervisors are about to pass an ordinance regulating the speed of automobiles over the highways of the county. The ordinance also provides that the horseless carriage must stop when requested to by passing vehicles other than autos and take the outside on all grades.

Piano Tuner.

R. W. Bell, the well-known piano tuner, will be here in a few days. Drop him a postal or leave word at this office.

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Last Wednesday evening, in the office of Claude Johnson, fourteen enterprising and musically enclined young man of Sonoma valley met and perfected the organization of the Sonoma Brass Band.

They also decided to give a side-splitting farce entitled "Fun in a Restaurant" to be followed by a dance in Union hall, December 4th. There will be a fish pond, auction, coffee stand, etc; The proceeds of the affair to go towards the purchase of music and instruments.

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Annual Announcement Number fully describing the principal features of The Companion's new volume for 1904 will be sent to any address free.

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GRAND JURY SELECTED.

James B. Morgan Appointed Foreman of Inquisitorial Body.

Men Selected are From Various Sections of the County.—Hold Short Session Monday After Being Admonished as to Their Duties

In Judge Albert G. Burnett's department of the Superior Court Monday morning the impaneling of the grand jury for 1903-4 took place. Thirty names had been drawn from the grand jury box last Monday from which to select the nineteen men who are to serve as official inquisitors for the county.

The men selected to serve are as follows: A. W. Garrett, R. A. Petray, E. Taueffner, John N. Mc Clish, James B. Morgan, E. A. Cooley, Christian Stengel, Albert C. Chance, G. N. Sanborn, Andrew Markham, James Furlong, H. W. Ungewitter, Thomas B. Purvine, Henry M. Forsyth, D. B. Peugh; Peter Pellascio and William Hanson.

At the session of the grand jury held Monday H. W. Ungewitter was elected secretary, Henry M. Forsyth assistant secretary, G. N. Sanborn sergeant-at-arms, and Wm. H. Pool was appointed expert. The jury adjourned to the call of the foreman.

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ACCIDENTS FOR THE PAST WEEK.

Three Accidents the Record for the Past Week

One Man Fell Thirty Feet Striking a Cement Floor.—The Second One Falling From a Load of Grape Boxes.—The Third Thrown Out of Wagon.

Fell Thirty Feet

Last Friday evening Dr. Thomson was hurriedly called to the Kohler ranch on the Sonoma mountains to attend the injuries of a man who had fallen through the loft in the winery, 30 feet to the pavement below.

The unfortunate man struck on his head and shoulders and was rendered insensible for several hours. At last accounts he was out of danger and resting easily. It was a miraculous escape from instant death.

Badly Hurt

Sunday evening while driving along Spain street, the seat becoming unloosened from the wagon, Eugene Allamana was thrown out very heavily to the ground and thereby sustained a number of severe cuts and contusions about the head and face and a painful sprain of the back.

He was taken to his home in the Bulotti house on the same street, and at last reports was resting easily.

Mr. Allamana has the contract for the erection of the large stone dining room and annex to the famous Agua Caliente hotel, and the unfortunate man will be unable to work for some time to come.

His many friends hope that he may soon recover his usual good health.

Mr. Dow Injured

Last Tuesday afternoon while driving a wagon loaded with grape boxes on the Hyde ranch, John Dow had the misfortune to be thrown out and severely bruised about the head and shoulders.

Dr. Thomson was called and [illegible] quite painful.

LATER.—A change for the worse took place on Wednesday, and, although everything possible was done, the unfortunate man passed away at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Internal injuries caused by the heavy wagon passidg over the small of the back was the cause ef his early demise.

Ed Gillan, foreman of the Hyde ranch, telegraphed to his old home in Fayette, Mo., yesterday morning and received a reply to ship remains to Fayette, Mo.

Deceased was an industrious man a member of the Sonoma Volunteer Fire Company.

Mr. Dow had gotten out to open the gate, and after the team had passed through, and as he was just closing the gate, the team started. He climbed upon the load in order to get the reins, but by some mischance, fell, so that the heavy wagon passed over his body, inflicting serious injuries.

A New Editor

The Epositor office has secured the services of a new assistant.

He will consume some of the editor's time for a while as [illegible] young men do when they are new at the business. And he is so very new, having made his first appearence on earth last Friday evening.

However his advent causes great joy in the household.

THE FORMAL OPENING

Large Crowd of Interested Readers.—Public Library Opened Tuesday Evening.—A Good Many Books Borrowed.

Last Tuesday evening in I.O.O.F. building on Broadway, the Sonoma Public Library was formally opened for the reception of visitors and patrons.

The Library Committee of the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club have the rooms in charge and will keep the library open afternoons and evenings.

Many borrowers' applications were received and books taken out which show that this long felt want is going to be appreciated by the reading public.

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Dr. J. A. Nordin to Bring Suit for the Possession of the Famous Tower House Near Redding

REDDING, Nov. 2.—Dr. John A. Nordin of San Francisco, arrived here today, and after securing the services of officer Law went to Tower House, a famous resort. The property was recently deeded to Nordin by Mrs. Jerome S. Childs, and he is attempting to secure possession of the place. Childs is a mining man with offices in San Francisco. Mrs. Childs makes very serious allegations against him in a suit for divorce recently filed. Childs refused to give up the property, claiming the deed from Mrs. Childs to Dr. Nordin is invalid because it does not contain his signature, although, confessing that he deeded the historic old place to his wife for the consideration of love and affection when they were living together. Dr. Nordin returned to Redding this evening after his fruitless errand. He will bring a suit for ejectment.

The above clipping from an exchange will be of interest to many of our readers. It will be remembered that Dr. Nordin was a former resident of the valley.

A Pioneer Here

Mrs. Lou Larkin, formerly a pioneer of Sonoma, is the guest of Mrs. A. Bates. Many of the pioneers will remember her as Miss Long, the beautiful and popular daughter of Nick Long, who, at one time owned the Brietenbach property, in the eastern part of town, selling it to the present owners in 1859.

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OFFICIAL TIME TABLE.

From Sept. 27, 1903.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS

The secondary transformer for the new electric light plant to be known acd designated as the Sonoma Valley Company, (C. T. Ryland's company) arrived Wednesday as did also over a ton of wire.

A. H. Kennedy the electrician, engaged by Mr. Ryland to superintend tha new plant has been inspecting the house wiring this week. He insists that the interior wiring conform to insurance rules.

W. H. Hanger, manager of the Racket Store here, attended the funeral of Mrs. Kennedy of Oakland Monday.

I. B. Raymond of Petaluma made a business trip to Sonoma Monday.

G. P. McNear, the Petaluma capitalist, was here today.

Copies of the Expositor are kept constantly on hand at the headquarters of the California Promotion Committee, 25 New Montgomery street, where they may be seen by those interested in what is going on in the favored Valley of Sonoma.

Mrs. C. C. Kirtland is expected home from her eastern visit next Thursday.

New Flannels

Suitable for night robes, bath robes, dressing sacques, kimonas, skirts, etc., at the Racket Store. Prices from 8⅓c to 20 c per yard.

Agua Caliente

The large barn at the race track on the Spreckles' ranch is about com pleted.

Mr. Daken, superintendent of the Hearst ranch, is spending a few days at his home.

The rain that has fallen the past week has been very much welcomed by the farmers of this place.

A. Bisconi has received from San Francisco a large order for chrysanthemums for the big foot-ball game that takes place tomorrow.

November 11, 1903.

UNCLE ALE.

Petaluma and Santa Rosa Electric Railroad.

This newly projected enterprise is now an assured fact. Rails have been ordered, surveys made and work will be commenced very soon.

The Steamer Gold has been bargained for and arrangements made for San Francisco connections.

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A Last Joke.

John D. Long, in the Massachusetts campaign of 1878, was making his first run for governor against General Ben Butler, who had captured the Democratic nomination, and Judge Josiah G. Abbott, who was the candidate of the old line Democrats.

The late Judge Thompson was making a speech for Abbott before a big Democratic audience and, after praising the candidate as a jurist and a statesman, asked sarcastically, "And now, who is this John L-L-Long?" No one answering, he proceeded: "They say he has made a translation of Homer's 'Iliad!' What g-g-good is that to us? All Democrats read Homer in the original."

At this the person to whom the judge was telling the story laughed, but the judge continued: "Th-th-that's not the real joke at all! The real joke is that not a m-m-man in the audience so much as smiled!"

Where She Differed From Paul.

A Scotch clergyman called upon a parishioner not long since, an old woman who was not blessed with many virtues, but who possessed a very varied assortment of vices. He took the latter as a text for a sermon and spoke to her at considerable length upon the subject, concluding with some extracts from one of St. Paul's epistles which he felt to be apropos.

She didn't speak for several minutes after he had finished, and he thought that he had made an impression upon her at last. He was mistaken, however, for she suddenly turned round with the remark: "Humph! That's just where Paul and I have differed these ten years."

The argument was not continued.

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J. G. Marcy.

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A Bargain

A fine second hand phaeton for sale for only $20. Inquire of S. A. Ringstrom. tf

A SNAP.
138-Acre Wood Ranch for sale near R. R. station and thriving town in Sonoma county; 2500 cords of wood, 20 acres good vineyard land. Abstract of title furnished.
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Social Meeting

At the regular social meeting of the Woman s Club, to be held in the club parlors, in the Schocken building, Saturday, Nov. 21. Mr. Johannsen, an authority on horticulture, will deliever a address on "Tree Planting." Everybody is cordially invited.

A Runaway Bicycle

Terminated with an ugly cut on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. It developed a stubborn ulcer unyielding to doctors and medicines for four years. Then Bucklen's arnica salve cured. It's just as good for burns, scalds, and skin eruptions and piles, 25c at Shoults drug store.

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Tuesday evening Constable Ryan found a man sleeping on the streets, and as the weather looked threatening, thought the fellow would be better off if he were like Eugene Smitz, with A. Ruef (a roof) over him, so he helped him to a bed in the city bastile.

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Misses Carrie and Louisa Baccala, cousins of A. Baccala, registered at the Swiss hotel, from Petaluma Sunday.

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Prof. De Witt Montgomery, our popular and efficient High school principal, attended the meeting of the Sonoma County High School Club at Santa Rosa Saturday.

Mr. A. H. Kennedy, superintendent of Mr. C. T. Ryland's new company has arrived and the gentlemen are overseeing the construction of the new plant. Both gentlemen made this office a pleasant call Monday and talked very encouragingly of the bright prospects ahead.

Jacob Allaman and wife are the happy parents of a bright new baby girl who arrived last Friday evening to gladden their home near town. Dr. Rich reports mother and babe doing nicely.

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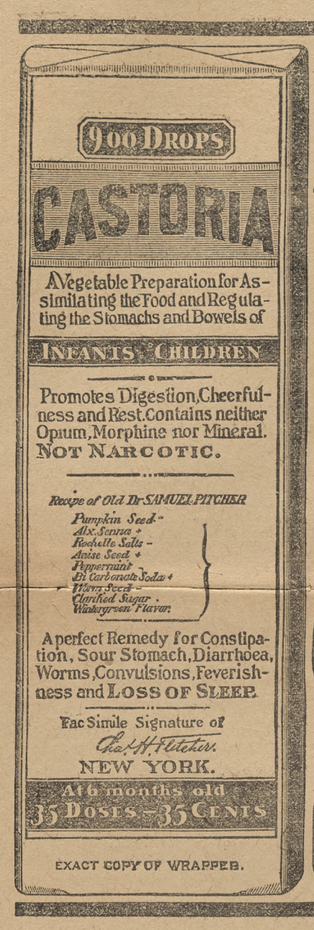
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GENERAL ITEMS OF INTEREST

GATHERED FROM VARIOUS SOURCES

About People.—Their Travels and Happenings at Home.—What Your Friends are Doing.

Miss Nellie Sullivan spent Sunday in Sonoma.

Miss Hazel Gies was a San Francisco visitor Sunday.

A. F. Pauli came up Sunday for a brief visit with home folks.

H. Pasche visited his uncle, S. Schocken, Sunday.

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Miss. Jeanette Cooper is the guest of her brother, G. S. Harris and family.

Cold weather delicacies, Frijoles, Tamales, Enchiladas. Extra good. Ringstrom & Coghill. *

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Mr. and Mrs. Halstead spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Fochetti.

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To answer the summons as grand juror, Robert Hall drove to Santa Rosa Monday, returning Tuesday.

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Don't forget to attend the Grand Ball under the auspices of the Sonoma Valley Woman's Club at Union hall tonight.

A. Schweickhardt, of the Pioneer bakery, went to San Francisco Monday to lay in a choice supply of holiday goods, suitable for his store.

W. J. Arnold, a respected pioneer of Mark West, passed away at his home there last Thursday night at the age of seventy-five.

Of course you will attend the Thanksgiving eve ball to be given by Sonoma Valley Council No. 45, Y. M. I., at Union hall, Nov. 25, 1903.

A crew of men working for the Bay Power company were in Sonoma a few days last week. They have been repairing the big power line around the bay. They left on the S. P. for San Francisco, Monday.

Why take your trade away from home when you can have better work done and at less prices by Mount & Ross, the expert watchmakers and jewelers? They are located in the New Drug Store.

Mrs. G. H. Harris and Master Spencer, left for San Francisco Wednesday morning for a few weeks' sojourn. They will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hooper of The Occidental hotel.

BILIOUS
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If so, your nerves are in a shattered condition, and you are threatened with nervous prostration.

Undoubtedly you do not know it, but in nine cases out of ten this is caused by some uterine disorder, and the nerves centering in and about the organs which make you a woman influence your entire nervous system. Something must be done at once to restore their natural condition or you will be prostrated for weeks and months perhaps, and suffer untold misery.

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Studying on the Cars.

"We have something of a reputation out west for hustling," said a business man from Kansas City, "but I never saw such persons as New Yorkers, both men and women, for working on the trolley cars, the elevated and the ferryboats. I wonder the companies don't find some plan for renting desk-room in public conveyances. It is customary to see men reading on the cars everywhere, but you have to come to New York to find half the passengers on a car correcting typewritten manuscript, humming over music scores, casting up accounts in little memorandum books or on the back of an envelope and poring over shorthand lessons. Persons studying foreign languages read them aloud on the cars, and nobody appears to pay any attention to them except visitors from other cities, who are not accustomed to see such ostentatious industry at home. They don't do that even in studious Boston. I have noticed that advertisements for lost manuscripts and notebooks constantly appear in the newspapers."—New York Times.

Distance Lends Enchantment.

In one of Mr. Chase's classes in painting was a young chap who could not paint pictures much better than he could save money, and the allowance given to him by his father was very often gone before he knew it. One day Mr. Chase was talking to the class on the subject of perspective, and this particular student did not appear to get the idea very clearly. To make it plain Mr. Chase went back to the rudiments to get a good start.

"You understand," he said, "that the farther you get away from any object the smaller it appears?"

The young fellow shook his head.

"No," he replied doubtfully, "I'm not so sure about that."

Mr. Chase was provoked and not a little surprised at such ignorance and said so.

"It's all right as to some things," responded the student, "but not all. Now, there's a ten dollar bill. The farther I get away from that the bigger it appears."

The Young Writer.

No young writer in whom the literary aspiration is a passion need or really will be cowed by the array of mighty and expert antagonists in the arena whose names sound and resound so gloriously from the herald's trumpet in full volume re-enforced by past triumphs. Though a true and becoming modesty may well temper his ambition, it should in no degree suppress his ardent longing. These veterans, young aspirant, are indeed masters, but as such your exemplars. They also had their beginnings, hidden indeed, as used to be the sources of the Nile, "not permitted to be seen small," because they mastered their art before they exhibited as artists.—Harper's Magazine.

CARPENTERS IN INDIA.

They Are Careless About Measurements, Tools and Time.

The chief faults of the Indian carpenter are his neglect of accurate measurement, his carelessness with regard to the efficiency of his tools and his lack of perception of the value of time as a factor in the execution of work. He has also to be taught to occupy his mind with the work in hand and as much as possible to exclude other subjects.

For example, the making of a jack plane involves the choice of the wood, considerations as to size, the angle of the blade and its cutting edge, the wedge and its holding power, the handle and finally the operation of planing. All these operations are capable of very simple explanation, and this exercise provokes an emulation among students while exercising their reasoning powers. No Indian workman buys a plane. He buys the blade and makes the rest, but he rarely makes it well. He buys a saw blade and makes the handle, and, generally speaking, he spends the smallest possible sum on his outfit in spite of the extra labor the economy involves. He must therefore be taught to make as many labor saving tools as possible and to make them well. He has to be taught the use and repair of a grindstone and how to mount it in wood without metal fittings. The hard, tough woods so common in India make this an easy matter. The Indian has yet to be taught that grinding and whetting are two distinct operations, the first removing 99.9 per cent of the metal and the second producing the cutting edge in a few strokes. His saw is in such bad order that he cuts tenons, as a rule, with a mallet and chisel, and his ignorance of gauges renders him unable to make even twenty articles exactly alike. He rarely knows what size of nail or screw to use on a given job. His screw is always too small.—Cassier's Magazine.

APHORISMS.

Nothing ages like laziness.—Bulwer.

The innocent seldom find an uneasy pillow.—Cowper.

We can do nothing well without joy and a good conscience, which is the ground of joy.—Dibbes.

He that is ungrateful has no guilt but one. All other crimes may pass for virtues in him.—Young.

A word or nod from the good has more weight than the eloquent speeches of others.—Plutarch.

Kind words prevent a good deal of that perversedness which rough and imperious usage often produces in generous minds.—Locke.

An inquisitive man is a creature naturally very vacant of thought itself and therefore forced to apply to foreign assistance.—Steele.

The only way to make the mass of mankind see the beauty of justice is by showing them in pretty plain terms the consequence of injustice.—Sydney Smith.

Curing an Insane Patient.

A patient entered the consulting room of a lunatic asylum with a firm conclusion that his head had got turned round and that his face was turned the wrong way. Instead of laughing at him, as I expected, the doctor entered into the case with the greatest gravity, tapping his patient's head all over, looking into his throat and ears and sympathizing with him. The patient was at once won over and placed the utmost confidence in the doctor's assurance that a complete cure would be effected in a few days, voluntarily exercising the greatest care in carrying out the medical directions, which consisted in elaborate nothings to keep the patient occupied.

A day or two afterward the doctor met him with feigned surprise and congratulated him. "On what?" asked the patient. "Judge for yourself," replied the doctor, handing him a mirror. The man surveyed his corrugated countenance intently for a few seconds, when with the dawn of conviction there stole a grin into his stern features. Thanking the doctor, he skipped out of the room in a frenzy of delight.—London Tit-Bits.

English Street Names.

The English towns have more distinctive and interesting names for their streets than American towns, in most of which many streets are simply numbered. London's Cheapside and Aldwych are more than matched by oddities many times stranger. Bootham is a street in York and Botchergate in Carlisle. Norwich is assertive of class distinctions in its Gentleman's walk, and Shrewsbury may stand almost at the head of a list of peculiarities with its street labeled Dogpole, which may or may not be related to Newcastle's Dogleap Stairs; but, then Newcastle has Pudding Chare, and what may that signify?

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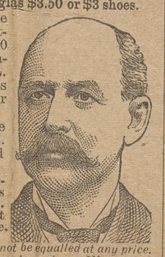

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OLD MOTHER EARTH.

HARDLY ANY TWO SCIENTISTS AGREE AS TO ITS AGE.

Some Speculation About the Tiny Atom In the Boundless Universe Upon Which We Dwell—Theories About the Interior of Our Globe.

Hardly any two scientists agree as to the age of the earth—that is, as to the length of time which has elapsed since the earth's crust became solid. Considering the very slow rate at which rocks are deposited by water and the immense thickness of the beds of these "stratified" rocks, as they are called, it seems that at least 1,000,000,000 years have passed since the globe evolved in its present shape out of the whirling mass of incandescent matter which it must once have been.

But Lord Kelvin, arguing from the known rate of loss of heat, declared that not more than 100,000,000 years is the limit of time which has passed by since firm rocks appeared and life began upon the earth. More recently Professor Tait declared that a tenth of Lord Kelvin's estimate might be nearer the truth. All geologists, however, declare that the latter estimate is too low.

We know with the utmost exactitude how heavy our little world is. If you put down the figure 6 and follow it by twenty-one naughts, you have it within a very few million tons. Roughly speaking, this implies that the earth is five and one-half times as heavy as a globe of water of the same size.

But, in spite of this accurate knowledge of the earth's weight, we have no real idea of what is the condition of things inside our planet. Thousands of experiments made in all parts of the world show that the temperature rises on an average about a degree for every sixty feet below the surface. If this rate of increase continues regularly toward the center, that part of the globe must be at a heat so appalling that imagination is unable to grasp it. When this fact of increase of temperature with depth first became ascertained geologists got the idea that we were living upon a furious furnace, of which volcanoes were the escape pipes.

Now we know better than that. We have found, among other things, that an earthquake in Japan is able to register itself in England. This actually happened in the case of the disaster in north Japan some years ago, when 30,000 people lost their lives. A tremor of this kind could not pass unless the earth had a rigidity approaching that of steel, and observations of tides and the attractions exercised upon us by sun and moon have made it pretty certain that our world is just about as hard and solid as so much steel.

This does away with the liquid interior theory and makes it fairly certain that the earth is solid all through, with perhaps occasional accumulations of fluid rock here and there in parts where for some reason or other the pressure is not so great as it is in others.

[illegible] theory of volcanoes [illegible] with regard to these mountains of death and destruction is that water from the surface finds its way through a few miles below the surface, and then, being suddenly turned into steam, causes an explosion, or series of explosions, like boiler burstings on a gigantic scale.

Every schoolboy knows that the shape of the earth is an oblate spheroid—that is to say, that it is flattened a little like an orange at the two poles. The polar diameter of the earth is actually twenty-seven miles less than its diameter at the equator. But it is as yet not absolutely ascertained whether the flattening is similar at both poles. Some arctic explorers appear to be of the opinion that the flattening is greater at the north than at the south pole.

Another rather startling fact is that the equator is not a perfect circle. If you could drop a plumb line from Ireland through to New Zealand it would be somewhat longer than another which cut the earth at right angles to it. The difference has not yet been ascertained with absolute accuracy.

We are accustomed to talk of sea level as an invariable quantity. It is positively startling to find how very far from level the sea is; not, of course, merely from the passing influence of tides and winds, but there are great and permanent elevations in the sea—positive mountains, in fact. It is calculated that in the bay of Bengal the water lies at a level exceeding that of the Indian ocean by fully 300 feet and that of the Pacific ocean along the coast of South America may be heaped up as much as 2,000 feet higher than the water in the opposite Atlantic. These water mountains depend upon the attraction of great mountain masses, the bay of Bengal upon the Himalayas and the south Pacific upon the American Andes.

The height of our highest mountains has been measured to within an inch or two, and we have accurate information on the subject of the great depths of the sea, but we do not yet know with any certainty how deep is the atmospheric envelope of the earth. At one time twenty-seven miles was given as the limit. This was increased to forty, and soon even this estimate was extended to 100.

Our only means of measurement is by the meteors, which spring into an incandescent blaze through friction when they strike our atmosphere. As man cannot live at a much greater height than five miles, it may be that we shall never learn exactly how thick is the atmospheric ocean at the bottom of which we crawl.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A Lasting Lesson.

"Didn't I tell you not to propose to me again?"

"You said something of the kind, but of course it made no impression on me."

"Oh, it didn't! Well, I'll give you a lesson now that you won't forget. You'll never propose to me again."

"What are you going to do?"

"I'm going to accept you."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Buddhism.

Mrs. Dumm—I see a piece in the paper about some society people bein' interested in Buddhism. What's that?

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Legends About the Moon.

"In Ceylon," says a historian, "it is said that as Sakyamuni was one day wandering half starved in the forest a pious hare met him and offered itself to be slain and cooked for dinner, whereupon the holy Buddha set it on high in the moon that future generations of men might see it and marvel at its piety."

In the Samoan islands these dark patches are supposed to be portions of a woman's figure. A certain woman was once hammering something with a mallet when the moon arose, looking so much like a breadfruit that the woman asked it to come down and allow her child to eat off a piece of it, but the moon, enraged at the insult, gobbled up woman, mallet and child, and there in the moon's belly you may still behold them.

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Cultivate friends rather than lovers. Friends are rational, but lovers—oh, well, some women have had experience.

We may help scores to bear their burdens, but we are apt to be mighty lonesome when bearing our own.

A wife should always be well supplied with soothing syrup. Husbands become restless at times.

Domestic naughtiness is like trouble—if you go hunting for it, it will surely meet you half-way.

If a woman be too clever men think her a prig; if she is not at all clever they think her a fool.

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RHEUMATISM

NOT A SKIN DISEASE.

It is natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when rheumatic pains are shooting through the joints and muscles and they are inflamed and sore, the sufferer is apt to turn to liniments and plasters for relief; and while such treatment may quiet the pain temporarily, no amount of rubbing or blistering can cure Rheumatism, because it is not a skin disease, but is in the blood and all through the system, and every time you are exposed to the same conditions that caused the first attack, you are going to have another, and Rheumatism will last just as long as the poison is in the blood, no matter what you apply externally. Too much acid in the blood is one cause of Rheumatism; stomach troubles, bad digestion, weak kidneys and torpid liver are other causes which bring on this painful disease, because the blood becomes tainted with the poisonous matter which these organs fail to carry out of the system. Certain secret diseases will produce Rheumatism, and of all forms this is the most stubborn and severe, for it seems to affect every bone and muscle in the body. The blood is the medium by which the poisons and acids are carried through the system, and it doesn't matter what kind of Rheumatism you have, it must be treated through the blood, or you can never get permanently rid of it. As a cure for rheumatic troubles S. S. S. has never been equalled. It doesn't inflame the stomach and ruin the digestion like Potash, Alkalies and other strong drugs, but tones up the general health, gently stimulates the sluggish organs, and at the same time antidotes and filters out of the blood all poisonous acids and effete matter of every kind; and when S. S. S. has restored the blood to its natural condition, the painful, feverish joints and the sore and tender muscles are immediately relieved.

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